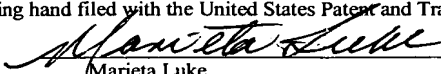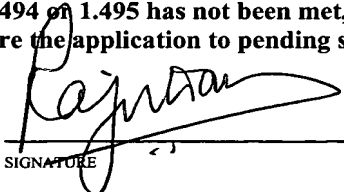| FORM PTO-1390 OFFICE (REV 11-2000)	U.S ⬛ NT OF COMMERCE PATENT AND TRADEMARK	A ⬛ S DOCKET NUMBER

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INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED
PCT/JP99/07237	22 December 1999	none

TITLE OF INVENTION

MULTILAYER FILM AND PROCESS FOR PRODUCING THE SAME

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Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:

1. ☒ This is a **FIRST** submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.

2. ☐ This is a **SECOND** or **SUBSEQUENT** submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.

3. ☐ This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.

4. ☐ The US has been elected by the expiration of 19 months from the priority date (PCT Article 31).

5. ☒ A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))

   a. ☐ is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).

   b. ☒ has been communicated by the International Bureau.

   c. ☐ is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).

6. ☒ An English language translation of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).

   a. ☒ is attached hereto.

   b. ☐ has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).

7. ☐ Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).

   a. ☐ are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).

   b. ☐ have been communicated by the International Bureau.

   c. ☐ have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.

   d. ☐ have not been made and will not be made.

8. ☐ An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).

9. ☐ An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).

10. ☐ An English language translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).

Items 1. to 16. below concern document(s) or information included:

11. ☐ An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.

12. ☒ An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.

13. ☒ A FIRST preliminary amendment.

14. ☐ A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment.

15. ☐ A substitute specification.

16 ☐ A change of power of attorney and/or address letter.

17 ☐ A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 35 U.S.C. 1.821 - 1.825.

18 ☐ A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).

19 ☐ A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).

20. ☒ Other items or information: 1. Notification of receipt of record; 2. PCT Request; 3. return receipt postcard.

CERTIFICATE OF HAND DELIVERY

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being hand filed with the United States Patent and Trademark Office in Washington, D.C. on March 14, 2001.

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21. ☒ The following fees are submitted:

BASIC NATIONAL FEE (37 CFR 1.492(a)(1)-(5)):

Neither international preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) nor international search fee (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)) paid to USPTO and International Search Report not prepared by the EPO or JPO $1,000.00

International preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) not paid to USPTO but International Search Report prepared by the EPO or JPO $860.00

International preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) not paid to USPTO but international search fee (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)) paid to USPTO $710.00

International preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) paid to USPTO but all claims did not satisfy provision of PCT Article 33(1)-(4) $690.00

International preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) paid to USPTO and all claims satisfied provisions of PCT Article 33(1)-(4) $100.00

CALCULATIONS PTO USE ONLY

ENTER APPROPRIATE BASIC FEE AMOUNT =	$860.00	

Surcharge of **$130.00** for furnishing the oath or declaration later than ☐ 20 ☐ 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)). $

CLAIMS	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE		
Total claims	22 - 20 =	2	x $18.00	$36.00	
Independent claims	3 - 3 =	0	x $80.00	$0.00	
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S) (if applicable)			+ $270.00	$0.00	
			TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =	$896.00	

☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. The fees indicated above are reduced by ½. $0.00

SUBTOTAL =	$896.00	

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TOTAL NATIONAL FEE =	$896.00	

Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 CFR 1.21(h)). The assignment must be accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet (37 CFR 3.28, 3.31). **$40.00 per property** + $40.00

TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED =	$936.00	
	Amount to be refunded:	$
	charged:	$

a. ☒ A check in the amount of $936.00 to cover the above fees is enclosed.

b. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees that may be required, or credit any overpayment to **Deposit Account No. 03-1952**. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 CFR 1.494 or 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive (37 CFR 1.137(a) or (b)) must be filed and granted to restore the application to pending status.

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